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MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 62nd LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION

COMMITTEE ON BUSINESS AND LABOR

Call to Order: Chair Elsie Arntzen, on January 19, 2011 at 8:00 AM, in Room 172

Capitol

ROLL CALL

Members Present:

Rep. Elsie Arntzen, Chairman (R)

Rep. Tom Berry, Vice Chairman (R)

Rep. Chuck Hunter, Vice Chairman (D)

Rep. Carlie Boland (D)

Rep. Christy Clark (R)

Rep. Virginia Court (D)

Rep. Lila Walter Evans (R)

Rep. Timothy Furey (D)

Rep. Edward Greef (R)

Rep. Harry Klock (R)

Rep. Pat Noonan (D)

Rep. Scott Reichner (R)

Rep. Michele Reinhart (D)

Rep. Matthew M. Rosendale Sr (R)

Rep. Daniel R. Salomon (R)

Rep. Sterling Small (R)

Rep. Cary Smith (R)

Rep. Carolyn Squires (D)

Rep. Gordon Vance (R)

Rep. Jeffery W. Welborn (R)

Members Excused: Rep. Jonathan McNiven (R)

Members Absent: None

Staff Present: Bart Campbell, Legislative Branch

Sandra Sullivan, Committee Secretary

Audio Committees: These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

Committee Business Summary:

Hearing & Date Posted: HB 190, 1/14/2011; HB 90, 1/14/2011

00:02:41 Jerry Keck, Employment Relations Division, Department of Labor and Industry (DLI) EXHIBIT(buh14a01) EXHIBIT(buh14a02) 00:04:46 Rep. McNiven arrived. Diana Ferriter, Employment Relations Division, DLI 00:07:18 00:22:35 Mr. Keck 00:22:47 Bob Worthington, Montana Self Insurers Association Larry Jones, Liberty Northwest Insurance 00:26:35 Nancy Butler, Montana State Fund 00:29:23 00:31:18 Mr. Keck 00:31:25 Vice Chairman Hunter 00:31:52 Ms Ferriter 00:33:44 Rep. Rosendale 00:34:12 Mr. Jones 00:35:04 Mr. Keck 00:35:52 Rep. Hunter 00:36:21 Rep. Clark 00:36:41 Ms. Ferriter 00:37:12 Rep. Clark Ms. Ferriter 00:37:33 Chairwoman Arntzen 00:38:08 00:38:33 Ms. Ferriter 00:41:21 Lieutenant Governor John Bohlinger EXHIBIT(buh14a03) EXHIBIT(buh14a04) 00:49:43 Jason Miller, Teamsters Union, Labor Management Advisory Council 00:52:37 Mr. Worthington 00:55:47 Rep. Squires Lt. Gov. Bohlinger 00:58:50 01:02:18 Rep. Squires 01:03:47 Lt. Gov. Bohlinger Rep. Clark 01:03:55 Mr. Worthington 01:04:23 01:05:29 Vice Chairman Berry 01:06:20 Recessed 01:21:09 Resumed 01:22:22 Vice Chairman Berry

HEARING ON HB 90

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

01:23:07 Rep. Walter McNutt (R), HD 37, opened the hearing on HB 90, Amend Montana mortgage broker and mortgage lender licensing act.

Proponents' Testimony:

01:26:40 Kelly O'Sullivan, Department of Administration, Division of Banking and Financial

EXHIBIT(buh14a05)

EXHIBIT(buh14a06)

01:40:58 Cindy Rigler, Montana Association of Mortgage Brokers

EXHIBIT(buh14a07)

Opponents' Testimony:

01:42:48 Stuart Doggett, Montana Manufactured Housing and Recreational Vehicle Dealers

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

01:45:30	Rep. Reichner
01:46:06	Ms. O'Sullivan
01:46:19	Rep. Reichner
01:46:59	Ms. O'Sullivan
01:47:11	Rep. Rosendale
01:47:36	Ms. O'Sullivan
01:47:56	Rep. Rosendale
01:48:13	Rep. Reichner

Closing by Sponsor:

01:48:37 Rep. McNutt

01:50:14 Chairwoman Arntzen

HEARING ON HB 190

Opening Statement by Sponsor:

02:00:34 Rep. Bryce Bennett (D), HD 92, opened the hearing on HB 190, Prohibit collection agency reporting medical debt to credit rating agency.

Proponents' Testimony:

02:04:16 Chris Cavazos, Montana American Federation of Labor and Congress of Industrial Organizations

Opponents' Testimony:

02:05:16	Bob Olsen, Montana Hospital Association
02:08:07	Mike Foster, Catholic Hospital of Montana
02:08:56	Steve Turkiewicz, Montana Bankers Association
02:10:17	Brad Griffen, Montana Retail Association
02:11:53	Erin McLean, Montana Medical Association
02:13:38	Jesse Luther, Consumer Data Industry Association
02:14:45	Tom England, Collection and Accounts Receivable Business Owner

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02:16:27	Josh Mirel, Collections Attorney
02:17:48	Mike Moore, Collections Attorney
02:19:57	Clyde Dailey, Montana Credit Unions
02:20:32	Cyndy Rigler, Montana Mortgage Brokers Association
02:21:45	Jeff Koch, Collection Burrow Services

Informational Testimony: None

Questions from Committee Members and Responses:

02:23:19 Rep. Noonan 02:23:55 Ms. Luther

Closing by Sponsor:

02:24:52 Rep. Bennett

02:26:37 Chairwoman Arntzen

ADJOURNMENT

10:28:00 Adjournment	
	Sandra Sullivan, Secretary
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Additional Documents:	
EXHIBIT(buh14aad.pdf)	